

## Idea to Check to Money... A Capital CYI Story



STEFAN TROMP, CYI Class 1 capital award winner receives his certificate and check from President O. Mingus. From Mr. Mingus' office, Mr. Tromp went to the cashier's window where he cashed the CYI check for one thousand new guilders, all representative of an idea that paid off. STEFAN TROMP, ganador di CYI su premio capital di Clase I, ta recibí su certificado y cheque for di Presidente O. Mingus. For di Sr. Mingus su oficina Sr. Tromp a bai pa e ventana di cahero uuda el a cobra e cheque di CYI pa un mil florin noho, tur representando loke un idea a paga.

Sometime in May, 1955, Stefan Tromp, machinist in the Mechanical Department, had an idea. It had to do with facilitating the installation of couplings and pulleys by attaching a shaft puller. Among other things it eliminated mushrooming of parts that often accompanied the tedious installation of couplings and pulleys. Thinking of the good that could come of his idea, Mr. Tromp submitted his thought in writing to Lago's Coin Your Idea program. It was dated May 31, 1955.

Two months later Mr. Tromp was notified that his CYI had not only been accepted by the investigating committee, but had earned Fls. 600 for its suggestor. Just about a year later, August, 1956, Mr. Tromp re-

ceived a supplemental award worth another Fls. 600.

And to top it all off, Mr. Tromp took down the Class I capital award good for Fls. 1000. His three awards or one suggestion brought him a total of Fls. 2200. President O. Mingus presented Mr. Tromp his capital award check of Fls. 1000 March 4. From Mr. Mingus' office, Mr. Tromp journeyed downstairs in the General Office Building to the cashier's window. This represented the last Lago stop of his idea. Here he exchanged the check for 10 new, crisp, green and blue one hundred guilder notes.

This was the final step of an idea that turned into a check that turned into one thousand guilders for Stefan Tromp.

## Looks To Future

### Aruba Scholarship Group Plans Fund Drive

At this moment in Holland and the United States six Aruba boys are hard at work in university studies. When they are finished most of them will return to their island as useful and valuable citizens, able to contribute much to Aruba's future.

The Aruba Scholarship Foundation can lay claim to some of the credit for helping these young

people on to advanced education. All six have been helped in some way by the foundation, and represent the first fruits of this organization's efforts to place college-trained Arubans in Aruba's future.

Last July, when the foundation was approved by the government and it was ready to begin its work, there were more applicants for aid than there was aid to give. Now, to

## Leading Figures Explore Mental Health Problems of Caribbean

### Delegates from World Over Meet Here for Five Days

"You do not stop at fighting what is mentally unhealthy and its excesses, leading to mental disorder... and extending to criminality. The general expedient is aimed straight at promoting better human relations and consequently, at furthering the mental happiness of man."

These words, spoken by Acting Governor F. E. J. van der Valk in opening the First Caribbean Conference on Mental Health, set the keynote of the Conference and a guide to its goals.

During the five day meeting in Aruba, March 14-19, leaders in the fields of mental health, medicine, psychology and sociology undertook to explore the whole field of mental health in the Caribbean.

Dr. J. H. Rees, of London, Chairman of the World Federation of Mental Health, was chairman of the conference. A number of Lago employees, including Dr. Robert Turfboer, Dr. William Kendall, Max Croes, Rev. D. R. Evans and T. F. Hagerty are members of the Aruba Mental Health Society, host group for the sessions.

The first meeting featured an address by the distinguished Dr. Rees. Later that day informal discussions relating to Caribbean problems took up the delegates' attention.

#### Lago Participates

On March 18 the Conference moved to Lago for the day, and Lago's management took part in panel discussions on Industrial Hygiene. Dr. Rees chairmanned informal discussions at the Community Church. That night, Lago Colony residents

attending an open meeting in Lago High School auditorium on the subject "What is Mental Health".

Attempting first to answer the question, Dr. A. Poslavsky of the University of Utrecht pointed out the changes in public attitudes that came about with increasing awareness of mental health problems. For example, he said, the drunkard and criminal are no longer considered people who get what they deserve. Now they are looked upon as people who need society's help, and further pose the question to society of how they came to fall. "Mental health," he said, "is how man thinks with himself, his friends, his community, his God."

Dr. B. Schaffner, an educator from New York, observed at the discussion that mental health began early in a human being. "Mental health—and mental diseases—start with the infant," he said. "A child develops his basic attitudes in the first ten years, the all-important formative period when the child adopts influences that will guide his actions to a large degree when he bumps into life in his later years." There are solid indications of a child's mental health. "It is the child's enthusiasm for life, a feeling of love—to love

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## Wever Joins Ranks Of 30-Year Employees

The number of Lago 30-year employees keeps getting larger and larger. The latest to join the elite ranks of long service men and women is Hendrik A. Wever of the Mechanical Department - Storehouse. He was presented his service emblem and certificate at the March 8 meeting of Management Staff.

Mr. Wever first came to Lago in March, 1927 as a counter clerk in the Storehouse. His entire service has been compiled in the Storehouse. His present position is material control supervisor. He has held such positions as storehouse sales and stores supervisor, senior clerk and inventory clerk.



ANOTHER LAGO employee passed the 30-year mark March 8. He is Hendrik A. Wever of the Storehouse. Here he receives the congratulations of T. F. Hagerty, executive assistant, B. Teagle, public relations manager, and H. Chippendale, technical service superintendent.

UN OTRO empleado di Lago a pasa e marca di trinta anja Maart 8. Esaki tabata Hendrik A. Wever di Storehouse. Aki e ta recibí e felicitacion di T. F. Hagerty, asistente checutivo, B. Teagle, gerente di Relacion Publico, y H. Chippendale, superintendente di servicio tecnico.

prepare for the coming school year the foundation is launching its first all-out drive for funds. The goal has been set at Fls. 32,000, which foundation President J. H. Beaujon estimates will be enough for the year's needs. The drive will last from March 28 to April 15.

To be eligible for aid the applicant—either boy or girl—must be

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## Spring Brings Retirement To Three Veteran Employees

Spring has brought retirements to three long-service employees, Frank B. Roebuck, training coordinator in the Mechanical Department left Aruba March 16, and brought to a close a career that spanned over 23 years.

Emilio S. Iglesia, with 23½ years of service, preceded Mr. Roebuck and retired March 1. At the time of his retirement he was material dispatcher in the Storehouse.

The third man in the trio, Sotero



F. Roebuck



E. Iglesia

Angela, tinsmith A, will close out his Lago days April 1 with a total of 25 years, 6 months and 25 days of service.

Mr. Roebuck joined Lago permanently in October, 1934 as operator third class. He had previously worked from April 1, 1929 to December 1931 here. In 1937 he was made assistant operator and in June, 1939, operator. The next five years he spent as assistant operator and ope-



S. Angela

## IR Ta Promove Kurt Weill

K. L. Weill, jefe de grupo den Industrial Relations Department desde Maart 1956, a worde promoví pa "Senior Personnel Assistant" Maart 1.

Originalmente empleá door di Standard Oil Development Company na September 1948, Sr. Weill a worde transferi pa Lago na December di e mes anja como Junior Engineer. El a traha como un chemico na laboratorio di TSD te December 1953, tempo cu el a worde transferi pa Industrial Relations como asistente di personal. Na Maart di anja pasá el a worde haci jefe di grupo pa "Benefits & Records (FS)".

rator. In March, 1945 he was promoted to process training coordinator. Mr. Roebuck's next move was in January 1949 when he was named coordinator-refinery loss activities and process training. He was raised to the post he held at retirement in December 1952.

Mr. Iglesia started out as a sailor with Esso Shipping Company in January, 1926, and joined Lago in June, 1937 as laborer in the Dry Dock. He transferred to the Storehouse in the same year, and served as laborer and storehouse helper, until October 1956, when he was promoted to material dispatcher II.

Mr. Angela began his quarter-century plus in July, 1931 as laborer, and in the years following rose through helper, tradesman, tinsmith helper, and tinsmith C, B and A. He is a native of Aruba.

## Feehanan di Olympiada A Anuncia

Binti-tres evento ariba pista di carrera, ariba veld y pa bicicleta, fuera discurso, ademas musica di banda y tambe presentacion di premionan door di Reina di Deporte lo forma e Olympiada festival tradicional pa Anja di La Reina na Lago Sport Park April 29.

E programa ta inclui carrera di 100, 220 y 440 yarda, y mas carreras di mitar milja, un milja y tres milja, un carrera di estafette di 440 yarda, tiramento di discus y spear, bulamento cu palo, bulamento leuw, bulamento halto y apuesto di hala cabuya, y ademas un carrera di 100 yarda pa mucha muhernan. Carrera di bicicleta ta tanto abierto como den grupo ariba distancia di mitar milja, un milja, dos, tres y nuebe milja.

Ultimo dia pa manda inscripcion pa participacion a worde anuncia como April 20 door di Junta di Sport Park. Formulario di aplicacion ta disponible sea na Lago Sport Park of for di miembronan di Junta di Sport Park.

Durante e celebracion di anja pasá mas di 8,000 fanaticos tabata presente y a mira Gaston Richardson capta e honor di atleta sobresaliente pa e Olympiada. Tabata di promer bez cu un ciclista a gana e honor tan ambicioná aki y el a haci esey door di anota tres promer lugar y un segundo lugar den carrera di bicicleta.

## IR Promotes Kurt Weill

K. L. Weill, Industrial Relations Department group head since March, 1956, was promoted to senior personnel assistant March 1.

Originally employed by Standard Oil Development Company in Sept., 1948, Mr. Weill transferred to Lago in December of the same year as junior engineer. He worked as chemist in TSD Lab until December, 1953 when he transferred to Industrial Relations as personnel assistant. In March of last year he was made group head, benefits and records (FS).



K. Weill

## Raphael Hodge Ta Gana Honor

Raphael Hodge tabata entre e 17 estudiantes di Howard University su School di Ingenieria y Arquitectura kende a gana beca di estudio e primavera aki. Raphael tabata honrá pa motibo di su excelente record den su trabao academico durante e promer parti di e anja.

Siendo un miembro di Klas 1950 di School di Ofishi di Lago, Raphael ta awor den su promer anja na Howard. Promer cu el a atende e colegio di Washington, D.C., el a traha den TSD-Engineering. El ta recibiendo algun ayudo di Sociedad di Aruba pa Promove Estudio cual ta principiá un campanja pa coleccion di fondos otro siman.

## CYI Idea ta Trece Ganamento

Na Mei 1955 Stefan Tromp, machinist di Mechanical Department, tabatin un idea. Esaki tabata pa facilitá e instalacion di coupling y pulley cu ayudo di un "shaft puller." Entre otro esaki ta elimina cu e partinan ta worde danjá cual hopi vez ta socede den e trabao fastioso di instala coupling y pulley. Pensando di e mehoranza cu lo bini for di e idea aki, Sr. Tromp a entrega e idea aki dor escrito pa e Programa di Lago su Coin Your Idea.

Su fecha tabata Mei 31, 1955. Dos luna despues, Sr. Tromp a worde notificá cu su CYI no solamente a worde aceptá door di e comision di investigacion, pero tambe a gana Fls. 600 pa e originador di e idea. Net como un anja despues, na Augustus 1956, Sr. Tromp a recibí un premio suplemental mas di Fls. 600.

Y fuera di tur esakinan, Sr. Tromp a recibí un premio capital di Clase I cu un valor di Fls. 1000. Su tres premionan pa un idea a duna-le un total di Fls. 2,200. Presidente O. Mingus a presenta Sr. Tromp su cheque pa

# B T A O T A

## Creative Thinking Expert To Lead Off Seminars

A man who has brought creative thinking to the oil industry in big and productive chunks will kick off the first of three seminar programs offered Lago employees this year by the Seminar Committee. The course appropriately is called "Creative Thinking."

He is Charles H. Clark of the Ethyl Corporation who has demonstrated the "brainstorming" technique of developing ideas to a number of oil companies, and who is the author of the first college textbook, "Applied Imagination", on creative thinking. The course he teaches will last from June 10 to July 5.

Following immediately behind in sequence is the second of the three seminars arranged by the committee, Human Relations. This course, led by Professor Robert Blake of the University of Texas, will be divided into two sections. The first part will be in the nature of a follow-up for those who completed Dr. Goodson's similar course in the fall of 1955; the second part will be for beginners. (Employees may enroll in either section, however.)

Prof. Blake, possessing a distinguished record in group psychology and human relations, has had wide experience in the petroleum industry. He was a lecturer for the American Petroleum Institute, a consultant to the Continental Oil Company, Continental Pipeline Company, and Oil Industry Training Group. In 1949 he was visiting lecturer in Eng-

land's Cambridge University and a research associate in Harvard's Laboratory of Social Relations the following year.

Next fall Oct. 20 to Nov. 21 Prof. Eugene Grant will lead the last seminar course. The subject will be Engineering Economics, a field of study that is becoming more and more important in contemporary society. Prof. Grant, who teaches Economics of Engineering at Stanford University, has written extensively in the area where engineering impinges on management. His "Principles of Engineering Economy" is the standard text on the subject. From time to time throughout his career he has advised industry and government on matters relating to his specialty.

Final details of enrollment, cost and class hours will be announced soon.

## Aruba Scholarship

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single, under 25, and have received the majority of his elementary or secondary education in Aruba. Then he must be accepted by the school of his choice anywhere in the world. Only then can the foundation consider the application for aid. The application for foundation aid may be submitted anytime.

Aid to students will vary from case to case, depending on each person's financial condition. It will take one of two forms: scholarship assistance or a straight interest-free loan. Items such as transportation, registration, tuition, books, equipment, room and board will be taken care of. The foundation does not dictate what course of study an applicant must follow, but since the world is going more and more towards technology, preference will be given to those students who seek a career in science. Neither are conditions attached which would require the student to return to Aruba after completing his training, although it is desirable.

Three members of the Foundation Board are Lago employees: J. H. Beunjer, W. H. Meskill and James D. Wood, all of the Industrial Relations Department. Other members are Francisco de Paulo Wever, August Bernard Kuiper, Dr. G. A. Oduber and H. W. J. van der Weide.

## Beisbol na Sport Park Cuminza

Beisbol ta den aire noticia di Florida ta papia tocante e prospectos den liga mayor y aki na Aruba Lago Sport Park su competicion di beisbol ya ta en curso.

Weganan ta worde hungá na Sport Park tur anochi di 7:15 Diamars te Dialuna. Tin cuatro liga Junior, B. A. y A.A. E weganan a cuminza Maart 6.

Enter e programa ta bao direccion di Sport Park su Steering Committee. Presidente ta Jose La Cruz y secretario ta J. Bislick. Miembronan ta L. Gibbs, F. L. Hodge, R. E. A. Martin, C. R. McDonald y C. A. Tromp.

premio capital di Fls. 1000 dia 4 di Maart. For di oficina di Sr. Mingus Sr. Tromp a baha trapi di Oficina Mayor pa e ventana di cahero. Esaki tabata ultimo stap di su idea. Aki el a cambia e cheque pa 10 papel berde-binja di 100 florin.

Esaki tabata e ultimo stap di un idea cu a worde converti den un cheque cual a worde cambiá pa un mil florin pa Stefan Tromp.



CLASS II CYI capital award winners were presented March 4 by General Superintendent F. W. Switzer. S. G. Faunce, Mechanical Department zone foreman (above) receives the top award of Fls. 1000, while J. M. Wright foreman in Garage and Transportation (right) receives the second award worth Fls. 500.



PREMIONAN Capital di CYI Clase II a worde presentá na ganadorian Maart 4 door di Gerente General F. W. Switzer, S. G. Faunce, zone foreman di Mechanical Department (robez), ta recibí e premio mayor di Fls. 1000 mientras J. Wright, foreman di Garage y Transportation (ariba), ta recibí e segundo premio di Fls. 500.

# Lago Club Turned Over To Members



FOLLOWING THE formal opening outside the club and in the auditorium, Chairman John Wever invited the guests to join in a moment of conviviality in celebration of the new club's opening.

SIGUIENDO arriba e bahrimento formal pafor di e club y den e auditorio, Presidente Jan Wever a invita e invitadonan pa tuma parti den un momento di alegría pa bahrimento di e club nobo.

## Officers To Retain Positions Until General Meeting Six Months Hence

A completely renovated, refurbished and restocked Lago Club was formally made the Lago Heights Club and turned over to its membership Feb. 9. In a ceremony that included General Superintendent F. W. Switzer and provisional Chairman John L. Wever, the Lago Heights Club facilities changed hands from Lago sponsored administration to control within the club's membership.

The early evening ceremony started outside the club with pert little Miss Valli Wever, daughter of the club's provisional chairman, presenting Mr. Switzer a pair of scissors with which he cut the ribbon stretched across the front door. Mr. Switzer then handed Mr. Wever the key to the club; the chairman accepted and invited the guests to inspect the refurbished club.

R. A. van Blaricum, as master of ceremonies, introduced speakers in the club's auditorium. There Mr. Switzer, Mr. Wever and Colony Service Department Manager N. M. Shirley all wished the club's new management well in future endeavors. From the auditorium, the guests moved to the patio where refreshments were served in honor of the beginning of the Lago Heights

Club. Later that evening free entertainment and movies were provided for club members.

Mr. Wever is presently chairman of an eight-man Board of Governors. It is a provisional board that formerly made up the Lago Heights Advisory Committee and the Lago Heights Activities Committee. The board will administer necessary administration until October. At the end of this six-month period, a general election will be held of all club members for a new committee. The full committee as it now stands will not be in office the entire six months, however. The constitution of the new club allows for a seven-man committee and not eight. Come April 4, Mr. Wever will resign his post. Mr. van Blaricum, present vice-chairman will take over as chairman of a seven-man committee.

The present committee, in addition of Mr. Wever and Mr. van Blaricum consists of F. D. Parris, secretary; J. J. Arrindell, treasurer; N. Nyack, assistant treasurer; E. Campbell, assistant treasurer, and B. I. Viapree and J. Vries, coordinators.

The Lago Club, as it was known for years, was officially opened by members of management, club members, island dignitaries and invited guests July 26, 1941. Until it was

decided to detach the club's administration and upkeep from the company, the Lago Club Activities Committee was its guiding light. This group was the same as the Lago Heights Advisory Committee, but handled club activities under the club name. Now the club will be tended by its Board of Governors who will be directly responsible for the club's welfare to its members and shareholders. It is anticipated that many of the old club's favorite activities will be continued under the new management.

Two hundred club shares were sold at Fls. 50 a piece giving the club a starting kitty of Fls. 10,000. In addition to overhauling the building, the company also provided the club with completely stocked shelves.

Within the building besides the auditorium are a lounge, a bar and desk were magazines, books, candies and the like may be purchased. To the west side of the building is the patio and dance area. This is also the dining location. Other facilities are tennis courts, basketball court and football and baseball field.

At the time of its 1941 opening, the club represented an investment of \$26,000. Today it is well over two and one-half times the original investment.



CUTTING THE ribbon and handing over the keys got the new Lago Heights Club opening ceremonies under way. F. W. Switzer cut the ribbon with scissors presented by Valli Wever, then turned over the key to the club to Chairman John Wever.

CORTANDO e cinta y entregamento di e yabina a principia e ceremonianan di bahrimento di Lago Heights Club nobo. F. W. Switzer a corta e cinta cu sker presentá door di Valli Wever, despues a entrega e yabi pa e club nobo na Presidente John Wever.

## Lago Club A Worde Entrega na Miembronan

Un Lago Club completamente restaurá, renobá y surti a worde oficialmente cambiá pa Lago Heights Club y entregá na su miembronan Februari 9. Den un ceremonia cu tabata inclui Superintendent General F. W. Switzer y Presidente Temporario John L. Wever, e facilidadnan di club a cambia donjo for di un administracion bao auspicio di Lago pa un control di miembronan di e club.

E ceremonia tempran den anochi a principia pafor di e Club ora e chiquitica Srta. Valli Wever, yiu di e presidente temporario di e club, a

presenta un sker na Sr. Switzer cu cual el a corta e cinta extendi dilanti di e porta. Sr. Switzer Inego a pasa Sr. Wever e yabi di e club; e presidente a accepta y a invita e hensespedes pa inspecciona e club restaurá.

R. A. van Blaricum como maestro di ceremonia a introduci e oradores den e auditorium di e club. Aki Sr. Switzer, Sr. Wever y Gerente di Colony Service Department N. M. Shirley tur a desea e directiva nobo di e club tur cos bon den futuro esfuerzonan. For di e auditorio e huespedes a bai pa e patio unda refresco a

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A HIGH ranking visitor to Lago early this month was United States Navy Admiral Dan Gallery, commanding officer of the 10th US Naval District. Admiral Gallery is also commander of the Caribbean Sea Frontier which includes Aruba. During his visit here he toured the refinery (left) and struck the familiar position of an "old salt" on the deck railing of Esso tug San Nicolas. Guests at the luncheon for the admiral included Lt. Gov. L. C. Kwartz and Major V. J. L. Blom.

UN BISHITANTE prominente na Lago mas tempran e lina aki tabata United States Navy Admiral Dan Gallery, oficial encargadó cu di 10 US Naval District. Admiral Gallery ta a la vez comandante di Caribbean Sea Frontier cu ta inclui Aruba. Durante su bishita aki el a haci pasco den refinaria (rohez) y a asumi su posicion familiar ariha dek di e remolcador Esso San Nicolas. Invitadonan na e comida pa e admiral tabata inclui Gezaghbeher L. C. Kwartz.





FACES MAKE up some of the dramatic aspects of a carnival. Some are pretty, some are ugly, some are unique. Pictured is one of the carnival's most unique.

CARANAN ta forma algun di e aspectonan dramatico di e carnaval. Algun di nan ta bunita, algun mahos, otronan stranjo. Riba e portret uno mas stranjo.

Her Majesty...

## Queen of the Carnival



THE REIGNING queen of this year's carnival was Miss Rica Veger. The pert young lady was elected queen at the Wilhelmina Stadium.

E REINA gobernante di carnaval e anja aki tabata Srta. Rica Veger. E boben bunita a worde elgi reina na Wilhelmina Stadion.



NO CARNIVAL is complete without a bevy of beauties. Here they are from the East.

NINGUN carnaval ta completo sin un grupo di bellezas. Aki nan ta for di Oriente.



THE PRIZE-winning Surinam Club float was called Brokopondo. It depicted a typical Djuka canoe. One of the canoeemen in Djuka dress was J. Speer.

E FLOTA ganador di prijs tabata di Surinam Club y yama Brokopondo. El ta representa un canoa yama Djuka. E tripulante den traje di Djuka ta J. Speer.

# CARNIVAL

The annual carnival festivities - reported by many to be the "grandest ever" - got underway Feb. 23 at Wilhelmina Stadium with the selection of Miss Rica Veger as Queen of the Carnival. The runner-up was Miss Eugenia Tromp. The girls were selected from 18 lovely young ladies dressed in flowing gowns, all representing clubs, commercial organizations or private groups. Two parades were held this year, one in San Nicolas March 2 and another in Oranjestad March 3. Both parades received much participant and spectator enthusiasm. Floats were in abundance all gayly decorated in the most creative schemes. A number of floats were enhanced by the beauty of the young ladies adorning them. And with the beauty came the gay characters full of burlesque. The "donkey cart" not only drew many laughs, but also won a prize. Then there was the "fat ole lady," "man with a large pipe" and "lady with hunch back" that brought many chuckles. The Surinam Club with its Brokopondo float depicting the Djuka and his canoe won first prize in San Nicolas. In Oranjestad, first prize went to the Caribe Club's float that carried two mdians, a large conche shell and a base of smaller shell and beach sand. The winning Caribe float was one of 11 entered by the club.

THE ARUBA Dramatic Club entry in the carnival festivities was highlighted by its queen and prince, Miss Jessica van Putten and Ellis Lopes. The club also sponsored Robin Hood.

ARUBA DRAMATIC CLUB su entrada den carnaval tabata sobresaliente pa su reina y prins, Srta. Jessica van Putten y Ellis Lopes. E club tambe a auspicia Robin Hood.





ULIUS CAESAR'S entourage included a steel band of a post-Roman era, shown here in full regalia arching, as did the gladiators, across the broad expanse of the Lago Sport Park amphitheatre. ULIUS CAESAR su grupo tabata inclui un steel band di era post-Romano, cu ta munstrá aki den impleto traje marchando mescos cu e gladiadores door di e terreno di Lago Sport Park.

A SIDELINE spectator in her own carnival colors peers at the photographer.

UN OBSERVADOR bisti den su traje di carnaval ta mira cu masha atencion.



**CARNIVAL!**

E festividadnan anual di carnaval - cual hopi hende ta bisa cu e ta "di mehor nunca visto" - a principia Februari 23 na Wilhelmina Stadion, cu e seleccion di Srta. Rica Veger como Reina di Carnaval. E segundo tabata Srta. Eugenia Tromp. E hobencitas a worde selectá for di 18 damas hoben y graciosa bisti den trajenan bunita, tur representando nan clubnan, organizacionnan comercial of grupo privá. Dos parada a worde teni e anja aki, uno na San Nicolas Maart 2 y un otro na Oranjestad Maart 3. Ambos parada tabatin un gran participacion y tabatin hopi entusiasmo di observadores. Flotas tabata na abundancia y tur tabata alegre decorá den di forman mas creativo posible. Un cantidad di flota tabata enbellezá pa e hermosura di e damasnan jong cu tabata dorna nan. Y cu e bellezanan a bini e tiponan gracioso haciendo coi payaso. E "garoshi di burico" no solamente a causa hopi harimento, pero tambe a gana un premio. Ademas tabatin e "dama bieuw gordo" y un "homer cu pipa grandota" y e "dama cu lomba corcobá," cu tambe a trece hopi animacion. Surinam Club cu su flota yamá Brokondo representando un Djuka cu su canoa a gana e promer premio na San Nicolas.

QUEEN of the Night posed pretty girls and came away with one of the top prizes.

REINA di Anochi a presenta damas gracioso y a sali cu uno di e premionan halto.



THE FESTIVE doings of a gay carnival group is clearly portrayed in this picture. Joyous figures are they that sing to the music of the guitar and maracas. E ANIMACION festival di un grupo di carnaval alegre ta claramente munstrá aki. Figuranan jubilante ta esunnan cantando ariba musica di guitarra y maraca.



ONE OF the prize-winning groups was that one depicting Julius Caesar. Here is the noble leader flanked by two of his courtiers, all in elegant Roman dress. UN GRUPO ganador di premio tabata esun representando Julius Caesar. Aki e lider ta flanqua pa dos di su hendenan di corte, bisti den traje elegante Romano.



FIRST PRIZE float winner in the Oranjestad parade was the Caribe Club entry. Miss Elvia Maria Wever and Nick Eman enacted the roles of the indians atop the float. E FLOTA ganador na parada di Oranjestad tabata Caribe Club su grupo. Srta. Elvia Maria Wever y Nick Eman a representa e actonan di indiannan ariha e flota atractivo.



THE FLAG signalling the start of the race is waved by George Lawrence, and the horses break away. The three contestants round the curve (right) led by Reserve with Juny Halley up followed by Siete Leguas ridden by Max Tromp and Onza with George Wever.

E BANDERA dunando senjal pa e careda cum uza ta worde gezwaai door di George Lawrence, y e cabainan ta laga sali. E tres concursante nan ta bira aki den plena velocidad cu Reserve y Juny Halley adilanti sigui pa Siete Leguas corri pa Max Tromp y Onza cu George Wever.



# Horse Racing At O'sstad's Wilhelmina Stadium Meet Marred by Tragedy

Once a month horses pound around an oval track within Wilhelmina Stadium. Enthusiastic crowds cheer on their favorite mounts, for the horses are fine racing animals and are competing under the auspices of the Aruba Horse Racing Association. On meet days usually 12 to 16 horses enter the competition. Six races comprise the card with three horses generally making up the race. The animals are all privately owned with the exception of a few owned and raced by the Association as an incentive to private horse fanciers. One such horse, brought to Aruba from Curacao by the Association and then sold to an enthusiast here, was struck by a tractor during one of February races. The horse, Prince, tripped while running hard and fell.

It had broken its leg and later was humanely destroyed. The Association will celebrate its second anniversary next month. It has big plans for the future of horse breeding and racing in Aruba. The Association now has under lease seven acres at Dakota which it hopes to transform into a permanent race track. President of the Horse Racing Association is R. Arends. Other officers are E. Capriles of the Mechanical Department, vice-president; A. Morales, treasurer; M. Pieters of the Accounting Department, secretary, and C. Larmone, second secretary. Board members are B. Zambrano, J. Smit, J. Arends of the Mechanical Department and J. Johnson of the Process Department.



EAGER FOLLOWERS gather around the injured Prince. The horse tripped while racing and it was ascertained that he had broken his leg. Later the animal was mercifully destroyed.

AFICIONADONAN ansioso ta acerca rond di e malogrado Prince. E cabai a trompica den careda y a kibra su pia. Despues e cabai a worde destrui humanamente.



PRINCE, LED by one of Aruba's leading jockeys, Pascual Zambrano, limps down the track with his broken leg bound. The horse was bred in Curacao and brought to Aruba by the Horse Racing Association.

PRINCE, guiá pa un di e jinetenan sobresaliente di Aruba, Pascual Zambrano, ta coha sali for di e cancha cu su pia mará. E cabai a worde eria na Curacao y treci Aruba door di e Asociacion Hipico.

## Tragedia den Careda di Cabai na Februari

Un vez pa luna cabainan ta corre rond di un cancha oval den Wilhelmina Stadium. Aficionadonan entusiastico ta encurasha nan favorito cu gritamento, pasobra e cabainan ta bunita bestia di careda y ta competi bao auspicio di Sociedad Hipico di Aruba. Ariba dianan di careda como 12 pa 16 cabai ta drenta competicion. Seis careda ta forma e programa cu tres cabai generalmente participando den e careda. Tur e cabainan ta di particularnan cu excepcion di algun cu ta worde corri door di e Sociedad como un incentivo pa amantenan particular di cabai. Un tal cabai, treci Aruba door di e Sociedad for di Curacao y despues bendi cu un aficionado aki, a encon-

tra cu tragedia durante e caredanan di Februari. E cabai, Prince, a trompica den careda y a cai. El a kibra su pia y despues a worde destrui humanamente. E Sociedad lo celebra su segunda aniversario otro luna. E tin plannan grandi pa futuro en coneccion cu criamento y careda di cabai na Aruba. Awor e Sociedad tin siete acres gehuur na Dakota y nan tin plan pa transforma esaki den un cancha permanente. Presidente di e Sociedad Hipico ta R. Arends. Otro oficialnan ta E. Capriles di Mechanical Department, vice-presidente; A. Morales, tesoro; M. Pieters di Accounting Department, secretario, y C. Larmone, segunda secretario. Miembronan di di-

rectiva ta E Zambrano, J. Smith, J. Arends di Mechanical Department, y J. Johnson di Process Department.



AN ARUBAN horse is Clau, shown with Boy Rohles up. The horse is one of the better contenders in the monthly meets. Some of the young folk who find the exciting races to their liking are pictured (left) peering through the fence. The races have stirred much enthusiasm.



UN CABAI Arubano ta Clau, muntra cu Boy Rohles ariba. E cabai ta un di e mehor contendornan den e encuentro mensual. Algun di e hobennan cu ta gusta e caredanan ta muntra ta waak (robez) door di muraya. E caredanan a lanta hopi entusiasmo.

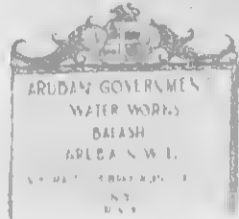


ONE OF the prize mounts of the meet was Nina, shown here with George Wever in the saddle. This is one of the 12 to 16 horses that race once a month under the Association's auspices.

UN DI e cabainan cu a destaca su mes durante e careda tabata Nina, muntra aki cu George Wever den siya. Esaki ta un di e 12 te 16 cabainan cu ta corre un vez pa luna bao auspicio di e Asociacion.



THE FIRST of four sections of the new water plant at Balashi is on its way to Aruba. The section was sent from England one month earlier than predicted by G. J. Weir & Sons, Ltd. of Scotland. Pictured is the architect's sketch of the new plant which will be one of the largest in the world, and one capable of producing 2,700,000 gallons of fresh water a day.



E PROMER di cuatro seccion di e planta di awa nobo na Balashi ta na caminda pa Aruba. E seccion a worde mandá for di Inglaterra un luna mas promer cu a worde preminti door di G. J. Weir & Sons, Ltd. di Scotland. Munstrá ta e architecto su pintamento di e planta nobo cual lo ta un di e mas grandi na mundo, y uno capable pa produci 2,700,000 gallon di awa fresco pa dia.



SEATED AT the retirement luncheon table as guest of honor is A. G. Zandwijken (right). Joining him at the luncheon were (left to right) Marine Manager D. V. Newton, J. H. Brown, III, C. A. Nalook, Simon Geerman and G. Zandwijken. The former Marine employee entered Lago service in 1929. His total service was all in the Marine Department.

SINTA NA e mesa di comemento di retiro como huesped di honor ta A. G. Zandwijken (drecht). Un bunto cum'e na e comemento tabata (robez pa drechi) Marine Manager D. V. Newton, J. H. Brown, III, C. A. Nalook, Simon Geerman, y G. G. Zandwijken. E empleado anterior di Marine Department a drenta servicio di Lago na 1929. Tur su servicio tabata na Marine Department.



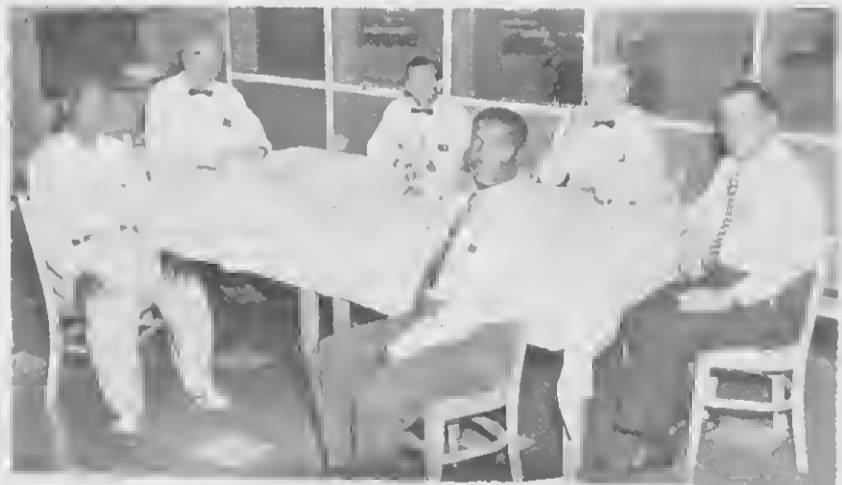
READY HANDS reach to congratulate Emilio Iglesia following the presentation of retirement gifts to him. His fellow workers in the Storehouse presented him - through Jules Abrahams - a check. Mr. Iglesia started with Lago in 1937 at the Dry Dock. A short time later he transferred to the Storehouse where he remained until his retirement.

MANNAN TABATA listo pa duna nan felicitacion na Emilio Iglesia despues di e presentacion di regalonan di retiro. Su companjeronan di trabao na Storehouse a presente'le - door di Jules Abrahams - un check. Sr. Iglesia a cuminsa cu Lago na 1937 na e Dry Dock. Un poco despues el a transferi pa Storehouse unda el a keda te su retiro.



MISS IRENE NASH receives gifts from Dr. R. C. Carrell, who made the presentation on behalf of Miss Nash's friends in the hospital. Miss Nash completed 26 years of Lago service, all in the Medical Department. Originally from Grenada, Miss Nash plans to return to her home island.

SRTA. IRENE NASH ta recibi regalonan for di Dr. R. C. Carrell, quien a haci e presentacion na nomber di Srta. Nash su amigonan na hospital. Srta. Nash a completá 26 anja di servicio na Lago, tur den Medical Department. Di Grenada, Srta. Nash ta planea pa bolbe na su isla natal.



HORACE O. JOHN was the guest of honor at this retirement luncheon. He was feted following the completion of Lago service which totalled 15 years. To Mr. John's left are L. C. Miller, E. Geerman, Frank Gladman, J. J. Pfaff and A. Cyrus. Mr. John was employed in the Mason Craft throughout his entire Lago employ.

HORACE O. JOHN tabata huesped di honor na e comemento di retiro aki. El a worde fiestá despues di completá 15 anja di servicio na Lago. Na banda robez di Sr. John ta worde munstrá L. C. Miller, E. Geerman, Frank Gladman, J. J. Pfaff y A. Cyrus. Sr. John tabata emplea den Mason Craft durante henter su empleo na Lago.



TWENTY-FOUR expatriate wives began an orientation course March 11. It was the first of its kind as well as the first of six sessions they will attend to find out more about Aruba, the Caribbean, Lago and Standard Oil Co. (N.J.). A tour is included in the final session of the program.

BINTI-CUATRO senjora di empleadonan foreign staff a cuminsa un curso di orientacion March 11. E tabata e promer di e calidad aki tan bon como e di promer di seis session cu nan lo atende pa sinja mas di Aruba, e Caribe, Lago y Standard Oil Co. (N.J.). Un paseo ta inclui den e ultimo session di e programa.

# NEWS AND VIEWS

### Grupo A Reuni Na Aruba

## Obhetonan pa Salud Mental Estableci Durante Conferencia

"Nos no mester stop di combati loke ta mentalmente insano y su exceso cu ta causa desorden mental... y ta extende pa criminalidad. E medio general ta dirigi directamente na promove mehor relacionnan humano y conseqwentemente na adelanto di felicidad mental di hende."

E palabranan aki, expresá door di Gobernador Interino F. E. J. van der Valk na apertura di e Promer Conferencia di Caribe ariba Salud Mental, a establece e principio fundamental di e Conferencia y un guia pa su obhetonan.

Durante e reunion di 5 dia na Aruba di Maart 14-19, lidernan den ramo di salud mental, medicina, psicologia y sociologia a encarga nan mes pa explora henter e problema di salud mental den Caribe.

Dr. J. H. Rees di Londres, presidente di Federacion Mundial di Salud Mental, tabata presidente di e Conferencia y un grupo di empleado di Lago, incluyendo Dr. Robert Turfboer, Dr. William Kendall, Max Croes, Rev. D. R. Evans y T. F. Hagerty, ta miembronan di e Sociedad di Aruba pa Salud Mental, cual tabata e grupo hospedero pa e reunionnan.

E promer reunion tabata ilustrá cu un discurso di e delegado mas notable Dr. J. H. Rees. Luego e dia ey discusionnan informal relacioná na problemanan den Caribe a ocupa atencion di e delegadonan.

#### Lago Ta Participa

Maart 18 e Conferencia a move pa Lago pa un dia y directiva di Lago a tuma parti den discusionnan di oradores prominente ariba e tema Higiene Industrial. Dr. Rees a presidi discusionnan informal na Misa di Comunidad den Lago Colony. E anochi ey, residentenan di Lago Colony a atende un reunion publico den e auditorium di Lago High School ariba e tema "Kiko Ta Salud Mental".

Esforzando primeramente pa contesta e pregunta aki, Dr. A. Poslavsky di Universidad di Utrecht a muntra ariba e cambionan den actitud publica cu a tuma lugar cu e conocemento creciente tocante problemanan di salud mental. Por ehempel, el a bisa, e bebedor y criminal

### Mental Health

(Continued from page 1) and be loved—a feeling of what to expect from his surroundings. It follows, then, that parents should praise children for what they are and what they do, and not for what parents want them to do. "When a child is praised for his accomplishments," Dr. Schaffner added, "it gives him a feeling of satisfaction and removes feelings of inadequacy." Summing up the discussion Dr. Rees neatly defined the purpose of a mental health program: "It is aimed at having less people in forthcoming generations worrying about minor differences. It is the aim of mental health to lessen the tensions that surround modern man." Thirty-three delegates from a dozen or more different countries attended.

### Lago Club

(Continúa na pagina 3) worde sirbi en honor di e inauguracion di Lago Heights Club. Mas despues den anochi tabatin un fiesta cnkito y pelucla pa e miembronan di club. Sr. Wever actualmente ta presidente di un Junta di Administradores di 8 miembro. Esaki ta un junta temporario cual anteriormente tabata forma e Lago Heights Advisory Committee y Lago Heights Activity Committee. E Junta lo administra e administracion necesario te October. Na fin di e periodo di 6 luna, un eleccion general lo worde teni pa tur miembronan di club pa eligi un comité nobo. E comité completo manera e ta awor lo no keda funciona pa tur e 6 luna, sin embargo. E constitucion di e club nobo ta permiti un comité di 7 persona y no di 8. April 4 venidero Sr. Wever lo tuma retiro di su puesto. Sr. van Blaricum, e vice-presidente actual, lo tuma overpresidencia di e comité di 7 miembro. E comité actual, en adicon di Sr. Wever y Sr. van Blaricum, ta consisti di F. D. Parris, secretario; J. J. Arrindell, tesorero; N. Nyack, segundo tesorero; E. Campell, tercer tesorero, y B. I. Viapree y J. de Vries, coordinadores.

Lago Club, manera e tabata conoci desde hopi anja, tabata oficialmente inaugurá door di miembronan di directiva, miembronan di club, autoridadhan di e isla y huespedes invitá dia 26 di Juli 1941. Te dia cu a worde decidi pa kita administracion y manencion di e club for di compania, e Lago Club Activities Committee tabata e luz guaiador. E grupo aki tabata e mes Lago Heights Advisory Committee, pero tabata trata actividadnan di club bao e mes un nomber. Awor e club lo worde dirigi pa su mes Junta di Administradores kende lo ta directamente responsable pa e bienestar di e club na su miembronan y accionista. Ta worde spera cu hopi di e actividadnan favorito di e club bieu lo worde continuá bao e directiva nobo.

Dos cien accion di e club a worde bendi na Fls. 50 pa uno cual a duna e club un capital inicial di Fls. 10,000. En adicon na e restauracion di e edificio, Compania ademas a provee e club cu un surtido completo di articulos. Den e edificio tin, ademas di e auditorium, un antesala, un bar y espacio unda revistas, boeki, cos dushi y cosnan similar por worde cumprá. Banda pabao di e edificio tin e patio y pista di baile. Esaki tambe ta e lugar di comedor. Otro facilidadnan ta un veld pa tennis, basketball y futbol y un veld di beisbol. Na e tempo di habrimento na 1941, e inversion di e club tabata \$26,000. Awor e capital aki ta hopi mas di dos-y-mei bez e inversion original

# BTAOTA



SUGAR BOY Nando retained his middleweight title by showering blows such as this on Sam Langford. The March 11 title go ended in the eighth with a TKO in Nando's favor. The action took place in Swingsters Garden. SUGAR BOY Nando a retene su titulo di peso mediano lanzando golpe nan manera esakinan ariba Sam Langford. E pelea pa titulo Maart 11 a termina den di 8 round cu un knock-out tecnico na favor di Nando. E pelea a tuma lugar den Swingsters Garden.

## Field and Cycling Events Will Make Up Olympiad

Twenty-three events in track, field and cycling, plus speeches, plus band music plus presentation of awards by the Queen of Sports will make up the festive traditional Queen's Birthday Olympiad at Lago Sport Park April 29. Included in the program are 100-, 220- and 440-yard dashes, half-mile, one mile and three-mile runs, 440-yard relay, discus and javelin throws, pole vault, broad jump, high jump and tug-of-war, and a 100-yard dash for girls. Cycle races are both open and in classes, distances being one-half mile, mile, two, three and nine miles. Deadline for entries has been announced by the Sport Park Board as April 20. Application forms are available either at the Lago Sport Park or from Sport Park Board members. In last year's event more than 8000 spectators were on hand and saw Gaston Richardson ride away with the honor of outstanding athlete of the olympiad. It was the first time a cyclist had won that coveted honor, and he did it by scoring three firsts and a second in the cycle races.

## NEW ARRIVALS

- February 15**  
WERLEMAN, Norberto M. - Cracking; A daughter, Mavis Georgina Faustina  
ANETIA, George L. - Mech. Paint; A daughter, Yvonne Cassundra  
GERRMAN, Dominico - Cracking; A daughter, Maria Dolores  
MATA, Jesus F. - Accounting; A daughter, Margaret Marianne  
COOMBS, Ghiffori W. - Easo Lining Hall; A daughter, Melva Catrene
- February 16**  
PYLE, Walter A. - Mech. Welding; A son, David Lester  
JANSEN, Laureano - LOF; A son, Reynald Elias
- February 17**  
HIRSCHFELD, Johan F. - TSD Eng.; A son, MAIBURO, Alejandro - TSD Lab.; A son, Reynaldo Alejandro
- February 18** - C & LE; A son, Anthony Nivarlo  
BIERVLIET, Frederick P. - Lago Commissary; A son, Johan Harold  
RAPIN, Alfredo C. - C & LE; A daughter, Gerlinde Miranda  
CROES, Juan - Mech. Pipe; A son, Angelberto  
TRIMON, Calisto F. - Mech. Machinist; A son, Ronald Franklin
- February 19**  
BANFIELD, Harold - Mason & Insul.; A son, Henry Elmond  
DIBBETS, Henrich - Government Police; A daughter, Astrid
- February 20**  
SCHINDELER, Nicolas P. - TSD Eng.; A son, Ronald Alfred  
JAMES, Lambert G. - Mech. Yard; A son, Julien Amlre  
ROCK, Leon - TSD Lab. No. 2; A son, Mirto Ronald
- February 21**  
KROZENDIJK, Jovito - Mech. Carpenter; A son, Franklyn Felix  
ELLIS, Victor A. - Mech. Pipe; A son, Franklyn Rudolph  
FLANEGIN, Emiliano - Cracking; A son, Martin Maximiano  
CROES, Francisco - Col Maint.; A son, Felix Francisco
- February 22**  
WOUT, Louis F. - Floating Equipment; Wilma Franca  
HOLTER, Alwin - Medical; A daughter, A son, Frits Michael  
JOHN, Herbert H. - Mech. Garage; A daughter, Phyllis Veronica  
WEVER, Juan P. - Mech. Machinist; A daughter, Velma Margareta Filomena
- February 23**  
MITCHELL, Pedro - Mech. Garage; A son, Patrocio Claudio  
HERERA, Angel I. - C & LE; A son, Romy Donald
- February 24**  
TROMP, Francisco - Ind. Rel.; A son, Sigfried Franklin  
KELLY, Jeronimo B. - Mech. Pipe; A daughter, Idelberta Modesta  
BERMUDES, Thomas H. - Mech. Yard; A daughter, Soledad Allagracia
- February 25**  
MAYFIELD, Thomas E. - T.S.D.-EIG; A daughter, Catharina Elizabeth
- February 26**  
WERNET Gilberto - Mech. Paint; A son, Alejandro Abdoniro  
BEUKENBOOM, Elso C M. - Acid & Elcl.; A daughter, Allyson Cornelia Elizabeth
- February 28**  
WEVIER, Pedro P. - Rec. & Ship.; A daughter, Rosa Maria
- March 1**  
WINKLAAR, Elino R. - LOF; A daughter, Richardina Arabela  
DOVE, Robert J. - Empl. Med. Center; A son, Dennis Carl
- March 2**  
KREES, John L. - Col. Serv.; A son, Kevin Confer  
CROES, Frans M. - Mech. Boiler; Twins; A daughter, Nicomela Camila & a son, Nelson Camilo  
VROLLEK, Generoso J. - Cracking; A son, Oslin Richard
- March 3**  
GUMBS, Walter R. - Empl. Med. Center; A son, Andy Elron  
CHAUDOIN, Winston M. - IBM; A daughter, Donna May  
BACCHUS, Llynd G. - Cracking; A son, Dwight Winston  
GIEL, Luis R. - Machinist; A son, Enrico Marlon
- March 4**  
WEVER, Pedro A. - Mech. Garage; A son, John Alcantaro  
FIGAIOA, Modesto - Mech. Pipe; A son, Ramiro Eufigenio Martinus  
BUSY, George J. - Mech. Wharves; A daughter, Jenave Susanna  
CUILOE, Lloyd P. - Mech. Yard; A daughter, Mutle
- March 5**  
TROMP, Egilio - Lago Police; A son, Gilbert Arthur  
CUMMINGS, Theophilus - Rec. & Ship.; A son, Theodore Marcus
- March 6**  
DE CUBA, Louis D. - Welding; A daughter, MADURO, Ireno - Rec. & Ship.; A daughter, Victoria Fridolina  
MANTYLA, Pentti - Mech. Adm.; A daughter, Susan Lynn  
IRYLLIGER, Albert - LOF; A daughter, Agnes Letitia  
PETERSON, Leonard - Mech. Adm.; A daughter, Delphine Genevieve
- March 7**  
TRIMON, Emiliano - Cracking; A daughter, Sherlyn Marlene  
CAMPBELL, Colin - Storehouse; A daughter, Ailsa Joy  
TROMP, Juan - Mech. Pipe; A son, Hendrik Federico  
BOEKHOUBT, Sabino - Cracking; A daughter, Glenda Alcira  
BOUCHARD, Eugene R. - TSD Eng.; A daughter, Sherry Lynn
- March 9**  
LIMONIER, H. lo - Mech. Paint; A son, Franca Catharino  
KAMPERVEEN, Gerardus A. L. - Mech. Electrical; A son, Cirilo Candelario
- March 10**  
BRIEZEN, Juan - Cracking; A son, Glen Orlando
- March 11**  
ROCK, Eduardo - Col. Serv.; A son WEBSTER, Charles - Garage Transportation; A daughter
- March 12**  
COURTAR, Clarence N. McBene - Mech. Mason; A son, Sando Rosemlo
- March 13**  
THILL, Jose M. - Process-LOF; A son, LEACOCK, John W. - Mech. Electrical; Twin sons

## PORTRAITS IN OIL!

**WILLIAM A. SMITH.**  
POPULARLY KNOWN AS "UNCLE BILLY SMITH," WAS HIRED BY COLONEL E. L. DRAKE TO MAKE DRILLING TOOLS AND WORK AS A DRILLER ON THE DRAKE WELL.

ORIGINALLY A BLACKSMITH, AND SALTWELL DRILLER FROM SALINA, PA., SMITH AND HIS SON WERE BOTH HIRED BY DRAKE FOR TWO AND A HALF DOLLARS A DAY!

AFTER DRILLING 69 FEET "UNCLE BILLY" PEERED INTO THE PIPE AND FOUND OIL FLOATING ON THE WATER AND NOTIFIED DRAKE THAT THE WELL HAD COME IN!

A SHORT WHILE AFTER THE WELL WAS DISCOVERED SMITH WAS CHECKING THE FLOW OF OIL WITH A LAMP IN HIS HAND AND SET THE FIRST DRAKE WELL ON FIRE. ANOTHER WELL WAS DRILLED AT THE SAME SPOT.